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## **Digest of Other White House Announcements**

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The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

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### ***May 31***

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Greenville, SC, where, upon arrival in the evening, he met with USA Freedom Corps volunteer Andrew Barnhill.

Later in the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

### ***June 2***

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing. Later, he chaired a National Security Council meeting on Iraq, in which he was briefed by Gen. David H. Petraeus, USA, commanding general, Multi-National Force—Iraq, via video teleconference.

The President announced his intention to nominate Kenneth L. Peel to be U.S. Director of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

The President announced his intention to nominate Gregory G. Garre to be Solicitor General at the Department of Justice and designate him as Acting Solicitor General at the Department of Justice.

### ***June 3***

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

In the afternoon, in the Roosevelt Room, the President met with Iraqi Shi'a and Sunni tribal leaders.

### ***June 4***

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

During the day, the President met with Secretary of Defense Robert M. Gates to dis-

cuss personnel changes at the Department of the Air Force.

### ***June 5***

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing. Later, in the Rose Garden, he participated in a photo opportunity with the 2007 Major League Soccer Cup champion Houston Dynamo.

The President announced his intention to nominate James Franklin Jeffrey to be Ambassador to Turkey.

The President announced his intention to nominate the following individuals to be members of the National Council on Disability: Marylyn Andrea Howe; Heather McCallum; Lonnie C. Moore; and Christina Alvarado Shanahan.

The President announced his intention to nominate the following individuals to be members of the Board of Directors of the African Development Foundation: John O. Agwunobi; Julius E. Coles; Morgan W. Davis; and John W. Leslie.

The President announced his intention to appoint Wayne B. Paugh as Coordinator for International Intellectual Property Enforcement at the Department of Commerce.

The President announced that he has named Thomas P. Bossert as Deputy Assistant to the President for Homeland Security.

The President announced that he has named Pete Patterson as Associate Counsel to the President.

### ***June 6***

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing. He then had a telephone conversation with Prime Minister Fredrik Reinfeldt of Sweden to wish him a happy National Day of Sweden and thank him for hosting the first International Compact with Iraq Annual Review Conference in Stockholm. Later, he participated in separate interviews with POP TV of Slovenia, Rai TV of Italy, and France 3 TV.

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Camp David, MD.

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## **Nominations Submitted to the Senate**

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The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

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### ***Submitted June 3***

James Culbertson,  
of North Carolina, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

Alan W. Eastham, Jr.,  
of Arkansas, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of the Congo.

Cheryl Feldman Halpern,  
of New Jersey, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2014 (reappointment).

Dennis Michael Klein,  
of Kentucky, to be U.S. Marshal for the Eastern District of Kentucky for the term of 4 years, vice John Schickel, resigned.

Kenneth L. Peel,  
of Maryland, to be U.S. Director of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, vice Mark Sullivan, resigned.

David H. Pryor,  
of Arkansas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2014 (reappointment).

Bruce M. Ramer,  
of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2012, vice Warren Bell.

Elizabeth Sembler,  
of Florida, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2014, vice Claudia Puig, term expired.

Loretta Cheryl Sutliff,  
of Nevada, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2012, vice Frank Henry Cruz, term expired.

W. Stuart Symington,  
of Missouri, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Rwanda.

### ***Submitted June 4***

William B. Carr, Jr.,  
of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the U.S. Sentencing Commission for a term expiring October 31, 2011, vice John R. Steer.

### ***Withdrawn June 4***

John R. Steer,  
of Virginia, to be a member of the U.S. Sentencing Commission for a term expiring October 31, 2011 (reappointment), which was sent to the Senate on January 9, 2007.

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## **Checklist of White House Press Releases**

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The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

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### ***Released June 2***

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dana Perino

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Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dana Perino

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 2356, H.R. 2517, H.R. 4008, S. 2829, and S.J. Res. 17

### ***Released June 4***

Transcript of a press briefing by National Security Adviser Stephen J. Hadley on the President's trip to Europe